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PRICE \$2 PER MONTH

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

March 30, SOOCHOW, British str., 327. Rowin, Marco, 30th March, General—INTER. March 30, THALAS, British str., 4. Hunter, Taiwanfu 25th March, Amoy 27th, and Swatow 29th, General—DOLAS LA-PAK & Co., March 30, BISAGNO, Italian steamer, 459. Teraso, Singapore 29th March—General—CARLOW & Co., March 31, DOLPHIN, Amer. des. ve. G. F. White, Shanghai 27th March.

March 31, BYRON, British steamer, 351, A. C. Cooke, London 29th February, Singapore 24th March, General—RUSSELL & Co., March 31, GALEO, British steamer, 205. Wm. G. Pearce, San Francisco 2nd Inst., Honolulu 10th, and Yokohama 25th March and General—O. & O. S. N. Co.

March 31, HARBOR, British steamer, 1,122 H. C. H. Harris, Kobe 25th March, Coal and General—DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., March 31, KASOV, British steamer, 1,984. G. T. Castle, London and Singapore 25th March, General—AENHOLD, KARBERG & Co., March 31, VICTORIA, British str., 1,831, John Cowden, Nagasaki 26th March, Coal—MITZU EIJI CO., LIMITED.

March 31, NINOSH, 2. Schulz, Wampoa 31st March, Gen—SISSEN & Co.

CLEARANCES.

AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE.

30TH MARCH.

Devonshire, British str., for Swatow.

Soochow, British str., for Hoihow.

Metis, Denia str., for Hoihow.

Marie, German str., for Haiphong.

Haffan, British str., for Swatow.

Mitsi Maru, Jap. str., for Kuchikita.

Empire, Amr. ship, for San Francisco.

City of Rio de Janeiro, Amr. str., Yokohama.

Sealed, British str., for Singapore.

DEPARTURES.

March 30, VORWERTH, German str., for Haiphong.

March 30, CYCLOPS, British str., Amoy.

March 30, KWONG-AN, British steamer, for Whampoa.

March 30, AMYOK, German str., for Shanghai.

March 30, ALMORA, British str., Sourabaya.

March 30, DEVANSON, Brit. str., for Swatow.

March 30, ERBES, Danish str., for Haiphong.

March 31, ACTTY, Danish str., for Hoihow.

March 31, BENZOL, British str., for London.

March 31, CITY OF RIO DE JANEIRO, Amr. str., for Francisco.

March 31, HAFIAN, British str., for Coast Ports.

March 31, MILE-NARU, Jap. str., for Kuchikita.

March 31, MARIE, German str., for Haiphong.

March 31, PROVINCIA, British str., for Singapore.

March 31, SOOCHOW, British str., for Hoihow.

March 31, EMPIRE, Amr. str., for San Francisco.

PASSENGERS

ARRIVED.

Per Enoch, str., from Macao—2 Chinese.

Per Thales, str., from Taihau, and Mr. and Mrs. von Meile, 3 Europeans, and 107 Chinese.

Per Gastic, str., from San Francisco, &c.—Mr. and Mrs. Mr. Paul, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. Conner, Mrs. A. A. McAlpin, Alexander W. T. McAlpin, J. M. Quirk, and M. Tanaka, and 268 Chinese.

DEPARTED.

Per City of Rio de Janeiro, str., for Yokohama—Mr. and Mrs. Morrison, children, infant, and European maid, Dr. Farr, and Miss Morgan, for San Francisco.—Dr. R. E. Withers, for London—Lieut.-General Cameron, C.B., Mrs. Cameron, and the Miss Cameron (3), Captain, A.D.C., and Mrs. Cameron's 2 European maid.

REPORTS.

The British steamer Victoria, from Nagasaki 5th March, reports had moderate N.E. winds throughout.

The British steamer Kaiwo, from London and Singapore 23rd March, reports had moderate monsoon and fine weather throughout the season.

The British steamer Haiphong, from Kobe 5th March, reports experienced moderate weather to 26th, when encountered heavy winter winds with high seas, from 26th light variable winds with overcast weather and rain to the 26th, thence fresh N.E. to N.N.E. winds with gales of high seas to 27th, and moderate winds with head sea; thence to Turnabout N. and fine weather; thence to port strong and cloudy weather. Time, 5 days 17 hours 20 min.

The British steamer Thales, from Taihau 5th March, reports from Macao had heavy N.E. gales and weather to 26th, and overcast, accompanied by high showers. From Amoy to Swatow 27th, and from Amoy to Hoihow 28th and 29th. From Amoy to Hoihow 30th, high winds with head sea, weather cloudy and overcast, high at 26th. In Amoy str. Hoihow and H. M. S. Gull. In Swatow str. Conson and Nanshan. In Taihau str. Soochow.

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Hongkong, 12th March, 1889.

BIRTH.
On the 26th March, at Monk's Hill, the wife
of H. L. DALMUYNE, Esq., of a daughter.

The Daily Press.

HONGKONG, APRIL 1st, 1889.

One more of those parts so common in
Hongkong took place on Saturday afternoon, when the community bade farewell to
His Excellency Lieutenant-General CAMERON,
C.B. The residents marked their sense of
loss in the gallant General's departure by the
presentation of an address expressive of their
personal esteem and goodwill and their appre-
ciation of the services he has rendered to the
Colony. The compliment was not an empty
one; it was well merited, for in two capacities
the ex-Commander of the Military Forces has shown his ability as an adminis-
trator and his devotion to duty. General
CAMERON is not a fossil soldier; while made
of stern stuff and ready for the fray if need
be, he is a finer believer in the science of
war, and of the necessity of adopting all the
latest improvements in military tactics. Under
his command there has been much
activity in the Garrison, and he has effectually
succeeded in arousing civilian interest in the
exercises and sham fights in which
his men have from time to time—and that
pretty frequently—been engaged. He has also
given his earnest and constant attention to the
progress of the work of fortifying the Colony, and it is due to no omission or fault on
his part that the batteries are not yet fully
and effectively armed. General CAMERON has
also twice administered the Government of
this Colony; on one occasion, in 1887, after
the departure of Sir GEORGE BOWEN, for
nearly six months, during which period he
gave the same close attention and exhibited
the same conscientiousness in the per-
formance of the work that have always
marked the discharge of his military duties. He
filled the post of Acting Governor with
quiet dignity, and with satisfaction to the
public, while he at the same time earned
the respect and favour of the civil officials. His
Excellency has invariably displayed a keen interest in the progress and welfare of
the Colony, which, when opportunity served,
he has sought personally to promote, doing
his best to bring about an agreement for the
extension of the Praya eastward past the
Military and Naval yards and premises, and
also opening up sites for building purposes
which hitherto had been closed by restrictions
imposed by the War Department. The un-
fortunate accident which recently placed him
in a position to do combat has been a subject of general
regret, and it is cordially hoped that he may
fully recover the use of his injured limb before
he reaches home. There is so much robust
and manly vigour remaining in General Cam-
eron, united to such an ardent love of work,
that it is most probable he will receive
further active employment. At all events
we trust that his energies will not be allowed
to rust, for he is certainly still capable of
doing much good service. Meantime we feel
sure we only echo the feeling of the community
generally in wishing the gallant officer
bon voyage and a speedy renewal of his
former health and activity.

A few days ago (says the *Japan Mail*) Count
Goto received an epistle signed by the Xanadu
Basho, challenging him to fight a duel. The
writer called the Count a traitor, and avowed
his resolution to live under the same sky
with a man who had deceived his party, and entered
the Cabinet after behaving like its most
implacable foe. Appended to the letter was a
document signed by Nishiochi Yasuto and Takaki
Kotoku, vowing for the integrity of the
chancellor, promising to do his seconds, and in-
viting him to choose a place and weapons.
One of the three signatures had been forged.
The document was of course handed to the
police, by whom careful inquiries were made.
The result will be easily guessed. Messrs.
Yoshida, Nishiochi, and Takaki turned out to
be fictitious persons, and the whole affair is now
known to have been nothing more than a grim
practical joke. It is well conceived. If its object
is to bring ridicule on the hot-headed Sozai, who
had told that every one unwilling to avenge after
such an insult is a rascal.

Labouchere, in his correspondence to the
American papers, thus approves Sir Julian
Pauwels—“Julian Pauwels, sir, it is
understood, is likely to be Scoville's successor
in Washington, will be one more example of the
kicking-up-stirrup principle to which so many of
our public men owe their careers. A ponderous
colonial Judge, he was lucky enough to get a
posting in the Colonial Office as legal assistant
to Robert Rivers, Mr. Justice of the Peace, who, however,
found his services so well deserved that he
elected him to be legal adviser to the
Foreign Office, where, in the difficulty of consolidating
the royal claim to the viceroyalty caused by
the death of Lord Tenterden in 1882, he
served the Under Secretaryship over the heads of his
more capable seniors in the office. Never able
to cope with the pressure of business in that im-
portant position, he has begged to be promoted
to a lighter one, and is to be appointed
as legal adviser to the Foreign Office, which
is to bring him into the upper ranks of the
service. Pauwels is good-natured, vain and
pompous, but he is not above meanness, and is
not up to the mark of a British Minister at
Washington.

We are informed by the Agent that the
Austro-Hungarian Lloyd's S. N. Company's
steamer *Pandora* from *Trieste*, left Singapore
on the 21st March. She is a vessel of
14 guns, carrying a crew of 163 men.

The Russian gunboat *Mandjuria* is on her way
to join the Pacific squadron. She was to leave
Colombo on the 21st March. She is a vessel of
14 guns, carrying a crew of 163 men.

It is notified in Saturday's *Gazette* that His
Excellency the Governor has appointed Mr.
Alfred Parker Stokes to be Acting Crown
Solicitor, in the absence of Mr. Alfred
Bulwer Johnson.

Among the passengers by the P. M. steamer
City of Rio de Janeiro, which left here yesterday
morning for San Francisco, was Colonel E.
W. Withers, United States Consul at this port.
Until the arrival of his successor, the Consulate
will be in charge of Mr. Robert Withers, the
Vice-Consul.

Saturday's *Gazette* contains the notification of
the appointment by the Governor, under instruc-
tions from the Secretary of State for the
Colonies, of His Honour Mr. Fielding Clarke
B.A., to be Puem's Judge of the Supreme Court
of Hongkong, in succession to His Honour Mr.
Justice Russell, C.M.G., promoted.

The Java *Boek* learns that there is an
accuse of a Chinese lawyer practising in the
Courts at Batavia. This practitioner is the son
of a Chinese headman at Bande, who went to
Holland to study until he was admitted to the
bar. He intends to come out and practise some-
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LONDON, 1st March.

The Parnell commission reassembled and resumed its investigation this morning. The excitement has subsided. The court refused to allow Lieutenant, the secretary of the Irish Loyal and Patriotic Union, to make a personal statement or hand the court a written document on the ground that the time was inconvenient.

O'Kelly, Davitt, and Campbell, Parnell's attorneys, when they did not write the letters ascribed to them by Pigott, had actually denied that he had an interview with Parnell. Lewis, the solicitor for Parnell, testified that he had seen Pigott the letters not being forged, but was liable to prosecution for obtaining money under false pretences. Witness declared he had not received Pigott a farthing.

Lewis also testified that he never offered Pigott £1000, nor would he if the letters were forged, as was done by Pigott before the commission opened. Sonnenfelden O'Brien offered him a packet of letters said to have been written by Egan and Parnell. He did not know O'Brien.

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Attorney-General Webster occupied the remainder of the day with reading extracts from the *Irish World* and *Freeman's Journal* regarding Pigott. Russell finally protested that the Attorney-General's only object was to have paragraphs published in order to arouse prejudice against the Railroads. The commission adjourned.

PIGOTT'S SUICIDE.

MADRID, 1st March.

An Englishman, supposed to be Richard Pigott, was arrested at the Hotel des Ambassadeurs to-day under the name of Ronald Ponsonby. The man afterward committed suicide in a hotel room. The description of the suicide corresponds with that of Pigott. The man spoke English only. A small amount of silver was found in his pockets. The police have taken possession of the papers and other articles found upon him.

LONDON, 2nd February.

The description given of the man who committed suicide in Madrid tallies with the description given by the man who called at the Hotel des Deux Mondes in Paris, after Pigott's flight. The suicide is indeed Pigott. It is double assumed the name of Ronald Ponsonby because the initials correspond with those of his brother.

A dispatch from Madrid to the Times says—The arrest of the suicide was made in consequence of a telegram from the British Foreign Office. "Ponsonby" arrived from Paris on Tuesday morning. His only baggage was a small handbag. Soon after his arrival he sent a telegraphic dispatch to London.

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The Standard says it is able to confirm the statement that the suicide was Pigott. When arrested he took the situation coolly and threw the officer off the scent with the excuse that he wished to get his bearings. He retired to a alcove and there shot himself. He died instantly. His head was terribly disfigured.

THE CANADIAN PACIFIC.

WINNIPEG, 20th February.

Sir George Baden Powell, M.P., for Liverpool, said to-day that he would urge upon the British Government the claims of the Canadian Pacific to the national highway to the East, because it would effect a saving of three weeks' time to Canadian merchants. He thought by proper management Canada could secure much of the trade that now goes to San Francisco, and think the Government should take the Australian cable scheme.

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FRESH LETTERS FROM STANLEY EXPECTED SOON.

LONDON, 23rd February.

Lieutenant Bart, who was at Stanley Falls when Stanley's letter to Tipp Tip was delivered, has arrived here. He states that the messengers were closely questioned and confirmed the truth of the letter. Lieutenant Bart believes that Stanley was captured by the rebels and that he was enabled to return to Mureia in eighty-two days, whereas the journey from Yangtze to Wusih occupied ten months. Bart adds that fresh letters from Stanley may be expected shortly.

ZANZIBAR, 23rd February.

Stevens, when the New York *World* was sent to speak for Stanley, had no objection to the communication. Sonnenfelden O'Brien offered him a packet of letters said to have been written by Egan and Parnell. He did not know O'Brien.

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THE PUNJAM AND SUNGHIE DUA SAMANTAN TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extra-Ordinary General Meeting of the PUNJAM AND SUNGHIE DUA SAMANTAN TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 9, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong, on THURSDAY the 4th day of April next, at 4.30 p.m. The Affairs of the Company will be transacted at the meeting.

Should the Resolution be passed by the required majority it will be submitted for confirmation as a Special Resolution to a Second Extraordinary Meeting which will be consequently convened.

RESOLUTION.

That the Capital of the Company be increased to the sum of \$200,000 and be granted in the Colony of Hongkong by the creation of 20,000 New Shares of \$10 each. Subject to any direction to the contrary that may be given by the Meeting sanctioning the increase of Capital, all New Shares shall be offered to the Members registered on the day of the confirmation of the resolution in proportion to existing Shares held by them, and thereafter also to the public, specifying the number of Shares to which the Member is entitled and limiting a time within which the offer if not accepted will be deemed to be declined, and after the expiration of such time or on the receipt of an intimation from the Member to whom such notice is given that he declines to accept the Shares offered, such Shares shall be dealt with by the Directors in their discretion.

Dated the 22nd day of March, 1889.
By Order of the Board.

A. O'D. GOURDIN,
Secretary.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—
No. 135.

THE following is published for general information by Command:

FREDERICK STEWART,
Colonial Secretary.
Colonial Secretary's Office,
Hongkong, 18th March, 1889.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

ALTERATION OF LIGHT.

HONGKONG.

On and after the 1st day of May, 1889, the light exhibited at GREEN ISLAND will show as follows:

WHITE from S. by E. & E. through East to N.W.

RED between S. by E. & E. and S.S.W. & W. (Bearings are magnetic and taken from Seward.)

The remaining portion of the whole circle is obscured by the Island itself.

The illuminating apparatus is fixed dioptric of the fourth order, elevated 95 feet above the sea.

R. MURRAY RUMSEY, Ret. Com., R.N.,
Harbour Master, &c.

LETTERS PATENT.

In the Matter of the Petition of WILLIAM ORE and PETER STUART BROWN, both of No. 100, Saint Vincent Street, and the Petition of the Colony of Seland for LETTERS PATENT for the exclusive use within the Colony of Hongkong of an INVENTION for "Improvements in Metal Sheets in securing or fastening sections of such sheets together and in means therof" the said improvements being applicable to the construction of buildings, covered and other vehicles, close fencing and other purposes" for which Her Majesty's ROYAL LETTERS PATENT were granted on the 10th day of May, 1887, to the said WILLIAM ORE and PETER STUART BROWN.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Petition Specification and Drawings required by Order No. 140, dated 1888, have been duly filed in the Office of the Colonial Secretary of Hongkong and that it is the intention of the said WILLIAM ORE & PETER STUART BROWN, by HENRY LARDNER DENNYS, their duly authorized Agent and Attorney, to apply at the sittings of the Executive Council herein-after mentioned for LETTERS PATENT for the exclusive use within the said Colony of Hongkong of the above-named Invention. And Notice is hereby also given that a sitting of the said Petition will be held for the examination of the said Petition on the 1st day of April, 1889, at 11 A.M.

WILLIAM ORE,
and
PETER STUART BROWN,
BY
HENRY LARDNER DENNYS,
their Agent and Attorney.
60, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong, 27th March, 1889.

ZETLAND LODGE.

No. 525.

A REGULAR MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the FREE-MASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, on FRIDAY NEXT, the 5th April, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited. Hongkong, 30th March, 1889.

P O R T L A N D C E M E N T
B. W H I T E & B E O S.
S O L E A G E N T S F O R C H I N A .
GODOWNS AT BOWINGTON.

Hongkong, 11th April, 1889.

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